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STILL ON IN FULL FORCE

THE "CLEAN SWEEP SALE" in summer merchandise continues in all departments. Every effort is being made to close out surplus stocks as the new fall goods are beginning to arrive. Prices are cut very low to accomplish our purpose. There is hardly a wanted thing in summer goods that cannot be bought at a **BIG SAVING**. We've selected a few items from various lines for mention here, in every instance reductions are made from regular plain figure **SELLING PRICES**. Call for what you want, you'll find it **HERE FOR LESS**.

Any Straw Hat in the house **Except Mexican** Now **HALF PRICE**

75c and \$1.00 Jardinieres ... 37c

\$6.50 Jardinieres, with pedestal ... \$3.88

75c Fancy Decorated Glass Lamps ... 44c

L3970 Standard White Enameled Steel Ware, guaranteed free from poisonous substances:

45c Water Pails
40c Wash Basins
30c Deep Bowls
30c Sauce Pans
35c Sauce Kettles
35c Berlin Kettles
35c Coffee Pots

Your Choice
25c
See Window

\$2.50 Fancy Decorated China Ewers and Basins ... \$1.77

\$17.50 110 pieces fancy decorated Dresden China Dinner Set ... \$12.22

Matting remnants ... Half Price
Hammocks ... 25 per ct. off
Window Shades ... 25 per ct. off
Lace Curtains ... 25 per ct. off
Refrigerators ... 10 per ct. off
Ice Cream Freezers ... 10 per ct. off
Trunks ... 10 per ct. off
Suit Cases ... 10 per ct. off

Odd Pieces in Furniture Department ... 25 per ct. off

10 Per Cent Off For Cash and We Pay the Freight on all Furniture Purchases to all Railroad Points Between San Antonio and Uvalde.

EXTRA SPECIAL

One lot of EAGLE BRAND SHIRTS.

\$1.50 ones, Clean Sweep price ... \$1.00
2.00 ones, Clean Sweep price ... 1.25
2.50 ones, Clean Sweep price ... 1.50
50c Men's Neckwear ... 44c
50c Men's Summer Hose ... 44c
65c Men's Balbriggan Undershirts ... 48c
\$1.00 Men's Night Shirts ... 83c
35c Men's Silk Hose ... 29c
\$2.00 Men's Straw Hats ... \$1.00

All Men's Trousers One-Fifth off original prices.
All Boys' Suits One-Fifth off original prices.
All Boys' Wash Suits One-Third Off Original Prices.

CLEAN SWEEP SALE OF KIRSCHBAUM AND OTHER GOOD SUITS

\$ 5.00 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... \$ 3.98
7.50 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 5.97
10.00 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 7.99
12.50 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 9.97
15.00 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 11.96
17.50 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 13.98
20.00 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 15.97
22.50 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 17.98
25.00 Suits, Clean Sweep Price ... 18.73

Always Better Groceries Invariably Cheaper

Buy where a dollar gets most value.

17 lbs Sugar ... \$1.00
S & S Flour per brl.
1.25 Climax Coffee 1.15
1.25 Gladiator Coffee 1.15
1.15 Tulane Coffee 1.00
Green Rio Coffee lb. 20c
Peaberry Coffee lb 22c
Cream of Prairie Corn 10c
6 Cans Am Sardines 25c
25c Peaches and Pears ... 22c
25c Cherries and Grapes ... 22c
25c Apricots 22c
15c Canned Apples 11c
No 3 Sauer Kraut 10c
No 2 Sauer Kraut 8c
No 3 Hominy 8c
16 Cans Am. Lye 1.00

Every Ladies', Misses' and Child's Garment in the Ready-to-wear section sacrificed to a price that means a complete elimination. You do the cutting---just take **ONE THIRD OFF** the original prices.

Ladies' and Misses' Muslin Underwear, **ONE THIRD OFF** regular prices.

Ladies' Fancy Parasols
Ladies' Neckwear
Ladies' Hand Bags
Ladies' Jewelry
Hair Ornaments

1-3
Off regular Prices

All Summer Dress Goods ... 1-4 off
All Embroideries ... 1-4 off
All Flouncings ... 1-4 off
All Laces ... 1-4 off
All Ribbons ... 1-4 off

Elimination of American Beauty Corsets means bargains. Here is the best Corset chance of the season:

\$1.00 Am. Beauty corsets ... \$.85
1.50 Am. Beauty corsets ... 1.19
2.00 Am. Beauty corsets ... 1.47
2.50 Am. Beauty corsets ... 1.98
3.00 Am. Beauty corsets ... 2.13

15c Turkish Bath Towels ... 12c
\$1.25 Bed Spreads ... 98c

\$2.50 Fancy Parasols ... \$1.67

\$2.00 Ladies' Hand Bags ... \$1.33

\$1.00 Voile Flouncing ... 74c

50c Ladies' Summer Hose ... 44c

\$2.00 Ladies' Waists ... \$1.33

25c Ladies' Belts ... 17c

40c Turkish Bath Towels ... 33c

50c Ladies' Vests ... 37c

We give you "full sway" for selection on our entire stock. We have simply trimmed 10 to 50 per cent from all our regular, plainly marked one price, which is always the lowest at which reliable merchandise can be sold.



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SATURDAY, AUGUST 17, 1912.

Noonan Notes.

BY BLUE RIBBON.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:

Mr. and Mrs. Gallof of Castroville visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kempf visited Mr. and Mrs. Green.

Messrs. Mike Allen and Archie Faris were seen in our town Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Skinner and Mr. Arthur Brady made a flying trip to Devine.

Mr. Lowe visited Devine Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Luckie visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mann north of LaCoste Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. John Kempf and Mack Luckie went fishing near Macedonia and they caught a fish that weighed 4 pounds.

Jesse Heath made a trip to San Antonio last week.

Miss Pearl Fox and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Fox, made a business trip to LaCoste Friday.

Author Bippert visited LaCoste.

Will Bowman of Devine was up to see about his hailer Monday.

Frank Ludwig passed through our neighborhood on his way to Castroville.

Misses Lizzie and Alvina Kempf visited Mrs. Mary Fox.

August 9, 1912.

Cuts and bruises may be healed in about one-third the time required by the usual treatment by applying Chamberlain's Liniment. It is an antiseptic and causes such injuries to heal without maturation. This liniment also relieves soreness of the muscles and rheumatic pains. For sale by W. H. Windrow.

Yancey News.

BY REPORTER

Editor Anvil Herald:

It is very dry here and the farmers are anxious to see it rain.

Edward and Bennie Oefinger, two New Fountain sports, were here on a visit to relatives Sunday.

J. D. Burgin is erecting a store building here.

Brick are being hauled for the new school house which we are in hopes will soon be erected.

Our little town is in bloom. A hotel and barber shop will soon be built.

We have a restaurant ready to serve meals. People can come to town now and stay all day.

Emil Erck of Hondo was down in his car Sunday. We don't know what it is that attracts his attention, but Mr. Erck comes down real often.

Dr. and Mrs. Liles left last week in their car on a pleasant trip to Oklahoma and other points.

Miss Bertha Childress is visiting at Cotulla this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nixon and family are visiting friends and relatives at Luling.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Faessler left Thursday for Kerrville on a visit to Mrs. Faessler's sister.

Hy. Kueck and Will McClaugherty were Hondo visitors Monday.

Mr. Garwood came down Tuesday to look after his affairs here.

Miss Clara Kueck returned to Hondo after spending a pleasant vacation with home folks.

Mr. Jim Brasier and son, Douglas, from Sabinal, are here moving the school house to Yancey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Baker and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith and family are here on a visit to their daughter and sister, Mesdames Horace and Parker Burgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillard and two sons left today for their home in Devine after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Ward.

Chas. Burger and Austin Jones made a business trip to Moore Wednesday.

Mrs. D. L. Williams and children and Mrs. J. W. McCaughan returned from a two weeks visit at Smiley.

Mrs. Velma Darby visited Mrs. Hy. Mofield Wednesday.

Mrs. T. L. Webb and children of San Antonio are here on a visit to J. D. Burgin and wife.

Little Miss Margaret and Julia Wise of San Antonio are visiting their uncle, Mr. Sol Childress.

Mr. C. B. McConnell, State organizer of the M. W. A., is spending the week in Yancey.

Mrs. Chas. Grings and children who have been here on a visit to Mrs. Grings parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hoffmalk, will leave Thursday for their home in El Paso.

Yancey, Aug 6, 1912.

New Fountain Notes.

BY NARRATOR.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:

Last week the writer was too busy and sleep too precious for me to get in a copy; so my this week's letter contains happenings of the past two weeks.

Hugo Saathoff, while riding a wild horse some two weeks ago, was pulled off by a tree and painfully bruised about the face and body. He was confined to his room for a week or more, but is now able to be about again.

On Sunday, July 28, a confirmation of one boy and three girls, took place in the New Fountain Methodist Church. The boy and girls were: Walter Stevens and Misses Edna Saathoff, Elsa and Adela Koch. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion.

Emil Erck and Robert Breiten of Dunlay attended church here when the confirmation took place.

Eddie Oefinger came home from San Marcos where he had been attending school.

John Moennink Jr. left the fore part of last week for Yancey, where he has accepted the position as manager of the Butte gin during the cotton ginning season.

Miss Nora Koch left last Thursday for Grassville to seek employment.

Miss Ida Bless, one of Brackettville's popular young ladies, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Chas. Senne.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wiemers returned Thursday from San Antonio, where they had been visiting relatives for a few days.

Henry Gronewald and his best were here from Yancey the latter part of last week.

Presiding Elder Hensch was here the latter part of last week assisting Rev. J. T. Koch in conducting a conference.

Eddie and Bennie Oefinger spent the day Sunday at Yancey.

Mrs. Amanda Muennink and Ella Stiegler attended a surprise party at Charlie Bendele's last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stieler and John F. Breiten were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Neumann Sunday.

Willie Poehler, Hy. F. Hartmann and Eddie and Oscar Moehring Sundayed at the Dam and were well pleased with their visit despite the fact that one of the boys had to return minus his coat, which no doubt a dam Mexican stole from the vehicle where it was left.

S. Tampke and daughter, Miss Cora, and W. O'Bryant and family stopped over one night last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Metzger, while on their way from San Antonio to the hills. Where Mr. Tampke assisted Mr. O'Bryant in moving his household furniture, while Miss Cora accompanied the children.

Richard Ellebracht, manager of the Leinweber Thrashing machine, was here thrashing oats. The average yield is about 40 bushels to the acre.

Miss Lydia Riff came home Saturday after an extended stay in Austin. She was accompanied home by her friend, Miss Dorothy Alberson, who will spend some time with Miss Riff here. The two young ladies were tendered a pleasant surprise party last night at the home of Miss Riff's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dom. Riff.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Decker and Miss Louisa Decker left last week for a visit to Corpus Christi.

Carpenters Louis Metzger and Chas. Reitzer today completed the repairing of Hy. Hartmann's residence.

John N. Breiten, a respected citizen of Quilhi died of sunstroke last Saturday morning at his home and was buried the following morning in the family grave yard at Quilhi.

Mr. E. A. Boehlen is on the sick list. There will be a grand basket picnic at the Saathoff Bros. Hall on Saturday Aug. 17. The principal features of the day will be base ball and horse races and at night a dance.

New Fountain, Aug. 7, 1912.

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D'HANIS DOINGS.

Items of Interest Culled or Condensed from The D'Hanis News.

Mrs. T. E. Woodrome who has been visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. Ig. Deckert and her sisters at Sabinal returned to her home at Glidden on Wednesday last. Mrs. Woodrome informed us that her husband has been promoted to engineer. The friends of Mr. T. E. Woodrome are glad to hear of his promotion.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Saathoff attended the funeral of Mr. John Breiten who was buried at the family grave yard last Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Murphy, after spending a few weeks here visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. Ig. Deckert, and her sisters at Sabinal, returned to her home at Temple on Wednesday last.

On last Thursday the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Koch Jr. was christened by Father Maas who officiated. The sponsors were Mr. Henry Rohrbach and Miss Mattie Koch and the name given him was Otis Mitchel.

Miss Emma Keller, who for the past week has been here visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Koch, returned to her home in Devine on Tuesday last.

The first bale of cotton was brought in by Ed. Poerner and ginned by the D'Hanis gin. The bale weighed 460 lbs. and sold to Mr. Louis Carle.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grimsinger of San Antonio spent a few days here with their daughter, Mrs. Leo Britz, this week and returning home on last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Bitzkie and baby of San Antonio are here spending a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Britz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Finger returned from San Antonio on Tuesday last.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Rahm took their departure on Wednesday last to visit the Dr.'s old home in Kentucky. We wish them a pleasant trip.

The second bale of cotton was brought in Wednesday morning and was raised on Mr. Willie Finger's farm a short distance from town.

Miss Nellie Koehle of Ehinger is here visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Koch this week.

Mrs. Paul Reinhardt and daughters, Lena and Effie, left for Converse Friday last on a visit to relatives and friends of that place.

Mr. Joe Batot and son, Alex, who have been visiting relatives and friends here, returned to their home in Eagle Pass on Tuesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Serp. Keller of Hondo were here last Thursday on a visit to friends and relatives.

Miss Emma Keller of Devine is here visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Koch.

Mrs. Joe Langfeld and two little daughters, after spending a month in San Antonio, returned home on Thursday last.

Miss Tillie Engleman of Uvalde is here on a visit to Miss Bessie Carle this week.

Mrs. Fred Durban and children returned home Friday from Crystal City where they have been visiting relatives. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Hattie Zuercher, of that place who will spend a few days here.

Master Martin Franger after spending a few weeks with relatives in Crystal City returned home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Wilkinson and little daughter of Kingsville came out last Saturday on a visit to her mother, Mrs. Geo. Langfeld.

Miss Mollie Nehr, after spending a few weeks with relatives in Del Rio, returned home last Saturday.

Mr. Martin Batot of Eagle Pass is here on a visit to homefolks this week.

Miss Jane Enderle left Wednesday morning for Knippa to visit her sisters who reside in that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Turner of Sabinal spent a few days here this week with her mother, Mrs. Helena Koch.

Mr. C. L. Marty of Castroville was here on business last Tuesday.

Misses Ada and Alena Haby of Utopia were guests of Misses Ella and Hulda Nester for the 4th.

The dances that took place in the two large halls on Monday and Tuesday nights were largely attended by dancers from far and near. The music was furnished in the Pete Koch hall by the famous Theo. Artzt band of San Antonio and in the L. Carle Hall was furnished by home talent. The dances lasted all night. And all report of having a good time.

On last Sunday morning, conveyed by auto's and hacks, the Biry Military Band consisting of nine members arrived in town to help us celebrate.

Miss Jane Enderle after spending some time in Beaumont returned home on last Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. Herman Enderle of that place.

Mrs. Steve Luckenbach and sister and cousin of San Antonio, are here visiting the family of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Luckenbach this week.

Call at this office and let us show you how to get a business education cheap.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Tax Assessor.

To the Voters of Medina County:

Thanking you for the honors you have conferred upon me in the past and assuring you that if again favored by you I shall in the future as in the past give my very best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County and respectfully ask for the support and the votes of all voters for the same at the ensuing November election.

Respectfully,

H. B. TAYLOR.

For County Clerk.

To the Voters of Medina County:

Thanking you for the honors you have conferred upon me in the past and assuring you that if again favored by you I shall in the future as in the past give my very best efforts to the discharge of the duties of the office, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County and respectfully ask for the support and the votes of all voters for the same at the ensuing November election.

Respectfully,

S. A. JUNGMAN.

For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce

Joe F. Bader as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

For Tax Collector.

We are authorized to announce

Joe Ney as a candidate for re-election to the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

For County Judge

Thanking the voters of Medina County for past favors I again announce as a candidate for the office of County Judge of Medina County at the next November election and kindly ask your support and vote for said office.

H. E. HAASS.

For District Clerk

We are authorized to announce

AUG. KEMPF SR. as a candidate for re-election to the office of District Clerk of Medina County at the November election.

For Commissioner, Prec. No. 1

To the Voters of Medina County:

Thanking you for your support in the past and pledging a faithful discharge of the duties of the office in the future as in the past if honored again with the same, I hereby announce as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, at the November election, and solicit the votes and support of all voters for the same.

Respectfully,

B. H. BRUCKS.

To the Public.

Having been solicited by numerous friends to run for the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1, I hereby announce for the same and solicit your vote and support at the November election.

Respectfully,

B. C. WIEMERS.

For Justice of the Peace.

We are authorized to announce

A. M. LAMM as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1 at the November election.

For Public Weigher

We are authorized to announce

H. H. Crow as a candidate for re-election to the office of Public Weigher for Hondo Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce

JOE HUENNER as a candidate for the office of Public weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

Narrow Escape.

A domestic servant at Market Drayton had a narrow escape during a recent thunderstorm. The girl had retired to bed leaving the window open and an alarm clock on a chair near the bedside. She was awakened by the smell of burning clothing, and found that the lightning had pierced a hole through the clock and ignited the chair-seating. The clothes of the bed in which she was sleeping were also smouldering.

An ordinary case of diarrhoea can, as a rule, be cured by a single dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and diarrhoea Remedy. This remedy has no superior for bowel complaints. For sale by All Dealers.

A Pennsylvania County's Oil Wells. In McKean county whenever they want funds to run the county affairs they just put down an oil well on the county farm and up the money gushes. The South Penn. drilled a well last week that is doing five barrels a day after being given a shot of 30 quarts of nitroglycerin. A farm like that is a mighty convenient thing for a county to have.—Philadelphia Record.

A well known Des Moines woman after suffering miserably for two days from bowel complaint, was cured by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. For sale by All Dealers.

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T. J. SAUTER, Proprietor

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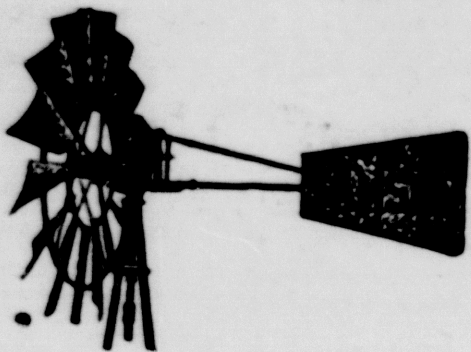
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Despair and Despondency



No one but a woman can tell the story of the suffering, the despair, and the despondency endured by women who carry a daily burden of ill-health and pain because of disorders and derangements of the delicate and important organs that are distinctly feminine. The tortures so bravely endured completely upset the nerves if long continued. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a positive cure for weakness and disease of the feminine organism.

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This Department is in charge of our Authorized Agent for Castroville,

ED H. HUEHNER, Editor

who is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted.—Editor.

Emil Kreisle's Mexican renter brought in the first bale of cotton to Courand's gin Monday.

Adolph Pingent was installed as clerk with Phil C. Jagge Monday.

Misses Hanna and Clara Steinmann of Seguin, arrived in our midst Monday on a visit to Rev. and Mrs. Walter Kralik. The ladies returned to their home again Friday.

Hy. Steidle of Jourdan, came in the first of the week on a visit to homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. L. Etter of Spoford visited relatives and friends in our midst Tuesday.

Miss Viola Kreisle left Tuesday on a visit to relatives and friends in the Alamo City.

Seb. Tschirhart Sr. made a flying business trip to San Antonio Tuesday.

Wm. Eckhart was down Wednesday from Verdina on business.

A number of our business men and others assembled at the Vereins Hall Thursday evening, and discussed the possibilities of securing the Trolley line which the M. V. Irr. Co. proposes to build. Decided to call a mass meeting for Aug. 25th, then and there to discuss the matter more definitely.

Jos. Biry and son, Robert, made an overland business trip to D'Hanis Thursday.

The first three bales of cotton for the 1912 season were ginned at Jos. Courand's Castroville gin Thursday.

The grand dance given by the Engineers of the M. V. Irr. Co. the night of Aug. 9th at Wernet's Opera House was largely attended and very much enjoyed. The best of order prevailed.

Dr. Jno. T. FitzSimon and son, Louis, autoed to San Antonio Friday morning, returning in the evening.

"Killy Old Boy" was also a San Antonio business visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Holzhaus made an overland business trip to the Alamo City Friday evening.

District Attorney L. J. Brucks and

County Attorney R. J. Noonan were Castroville business visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ahr and smaller children arrived in our midst Sunday on a visit to kinfolks and friends.

A goodly number from here attended picnic at the LaCoste Shooting grounds Sunday, and report a good time.

Deputy Aug. Weber brought in a couple of Mexicans this morning from LaCoste, charged with fighting.

Carpenters Grimsinger and Etter erected a garage for Dr. Jno. T. Fitz Simon, and Jno. W. Hans floored the St. Louis Society's Bowling alley during the past week.

Died

Mrs. Louisa Sophia Wurzbach (nee Scheidemantel) died at the home of her stepson, Mr. Chas. T. Wurzbach, on Saturday morning, Aug. 10, 1912, and was laid to rest at the Wurzbach family graveyard, on Sunday afternoon, Rev. Walter Kralik performing the last sad rites.

Deceased was born at Koenigsberg Saxony Coburg Germany, Nov. 8, 1824, consequently was in her eighty seventh year at the time of her demise. She was happily married to Franz J. Wurzbach on April 19, 1864. this union was childless. Her husband preceded her in death Nov. 25, 1884.

Mrs. Wurzbach is survived by one sister residing in Germany, four stepsons, and a large number of other near and dear relatives to mourn her loss.

A devout Christian lady, a dutiful wife, a loving stepmother, a kind neighbor, beloved and respected by all who were fortunate enough to come in contact with her, has left us and gone to her last reward above.

A large cortege of mourning relatives and friends followed the remains to its last resting place.

We join in sympathy with the bereaved ones.

Aug. 8, 1912.

The "Progressive" Party

Is the individual, man or woman who, uses Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak back, and other kidney and bladder irregularities. Robert W. Herter, Lawrenceville, Mo., says: "I took three bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and got a permanent cure." They are healing, strengthening, tonic, and quick to produce beneficial results. Contain no harmful drugs. Never sold in bulk. Put up in two sizes in sealed bottles. The genuine in a yellow package.

Ar. Eulogy.

A newspaper, in speaking of a deceased citizen, said: "We knew him as old Ten Per Cent—the more he had the less he spent—the more he got the less he lent—he's dead—we don't know where he went; but if his soul to heaven is sent—he'll own the harp and charge 'em rent."

Sallow complexion comes from bilious impurities in the blood and the fault lies with the liver and bowels—they are torpid. The medicine that gives results in such cases is HERBINE. It is a fine liver stimulant and bowel regulator. Price 50c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Flying Men Fall

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved. "Six bottles of Electric Bitters," he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. Its folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50 cents at W. H. Windrow's.

Practical Suggestion.

A new association proposes to have all American railroads lined with flowers and hedges, but what our railroad rights of way really need is to be lined with leather beds. What good would it do anybody to fall on a pansy when trains collide?

Breeders of fine horses prefer BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT for all cuts, wounds or sores on their stock, because it acts both mildly and quickly and heals an ordinary wound without a scar. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

Latoste Laconics.

BY BLUE BELLE

ED. ANVIL HERALD:—

Mrs. W. H. Hawkes and daughters are visiting relatives at Cline this week.

Alfred Ehlinger of Devine paid a visit to relatives here a few days.

Alfred Mangold is relieving Fred Biedger as assistant freight clerk at the S. P. depot.

Miss Alexis Ihnken returned from Del Rio Tuesday after a three weeks stay with relatives.

Mrs. W. W. Carroll and smaller children and Roy Carroll returned home from Fort Worth Wednesday, after a few months' stay with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger, Misses Ediza, Pauline and Ruby Mann autoed to the Dam Site Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Rihn of Spindletop is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Ambrose Zimmermann.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Etter, Miss Hilda Rihn and Louis Salzmman with John Biediger as chauffeur autoed to the Dam Site Thursday.

A large crowd from here attended the dance at Wernet's Opera House Friday night, and reported a most enjoyable time.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bippert at Idlewild Saturday, Aug. 3, 1912, a sweet little baby girl.

Mrs. Pattie Rose Hall visited her daughter, Mrs. C. E. McCasin, at this place this week.

Louis Ahr and family of San Antonio spent the past week with relatives at Idlewild.

Miss Walters of San Antonio is spending the week with her friend, Miss Ida Reicherzer.

Miss Clara Jungmann of Castroville is the guest of her cousin, Miss Helen Jungmann, this week.

The picnic which took place at the LaCoste shooting grounds Sunday was very largely attended. The Groff Bros. Band furnished the music during the afternoon, and at 3 P. M. a game of ball was played between the D' Hanis team and LaCoste boys, which was 9 to 8 in favor of D'Hanis. The picnic closed with a grand ball at LaCoste W. O. W. Hall. Eighty-five couples tipped the light fantastic to the sweet strains of "Home Sweet Home" which sent everyone to their respective homes pleased with their nights enjoyment. Best of order prevailed throughout the night.

Miss Ella Conrad left for her home in Castroville after a few months stay with her sister, Mrs. Frank Keller. Miss Mary Salzmman returned from San Antonio Thursday after a brief stay with relatives and friends.

Oscar Mangold arrived here Saturday from Tarpley. He has accepted a position on the Canal.

Miss Louisa Haass of Chicon paid a visit to her sister, Mrs. C. Loessberg, Sunday.

Miss Erna Krause of San Antonio is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Krieger, this week.

Miss Elizabeth Biediger attended the St. Joseph's celebration at San Antonio Monday and Tuesday.

Fred Stich left for Seguin today to seek his fortune.

John L. Zuercher of Devine has accepted a position here as assistant carpenter with Adolph Reymann.

Theodore Krause of San Antonio spent Sunday with Frank Krieger.

Joe Haessler left for Stafford today where he has accepted a position as night pumper.

Miss Dora Saengerhausen of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mrs. Frank Krieger.

Alois Haby of Riomedina was here in his car today.

Aug. 13, 1912.

Hay fever and asthma make a ugust a month of intense suffering to many people. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound gives prompt ease and relief, and is soothing and healing to the inflamed membranes. Wm. M. Meredith, N. Searsport, Me., says: "I suffered with asthma for many years, and have used many a doctor's prescription without avail. A few doses of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound relieved me and less than a bottle caused a complete cure. I am glad to let others know what Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has done for me." Refuse substitutes.

Whatsoever Thy Hand Findeth.

"I have been a great deal happier," she said at last, "since I've given up thinking about what is easy and pleasant and being discontented because I could not have my own will. Our life is determined for us—and it makes the mind very free when we give up wishing and only think of bearing what is laid upon us, and doing what is given us to do."—George Eliot.

Stepping on a rusty nail has been the cause of many cases of lockjaw. The nail was not so much the fault as neglect of the wound. If such wounds were promptly cleansed and BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT applied there would be no lockjaw, as the antiseptic properties of the liniment would counteract the poison and the wound would heal quickly. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequalled. Only 25 cents at W. H. Windrow's.

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The Woman's Home Companion has been collecting the favorite recipes of husbands. The results show that of all dishes American men like best of all strawberry shortcake and chicken pie.

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There are times to get mad and refuse to pay; but when one's property needs protecting is no time to get mad and not paint.

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Program, Texas Dry Farming Congress

Uvalde, Texas, Aug. 20, 21 and 22, 1912.

First Session, Tuesday, August 20th 2:00 p. m.

Music—Uvalde Concert Band. Convention—Called to order by the president.

Invocation—Rev. J. P. Gilliam. Address of Welcome—Judge G. B. Fenley.

Response on Behalf of Visitors and Delegates—Hon. Jos. O. Boehmer, Eagle Pass, Texas.

Response on Behalf of Railroads—Col. T. J. Anderson, General Passenger Agent, Galveston, Harrisburg and San Antonio Railroad. J. R. Christian General Freight Agent, G. H. & S. A. Ry. A. R. Ponder, Vice-President S. A. U. & G. R. R.

Annual Address—Dr. Benjamin F. Berkley, Alpine, Texas, President of the Texas Dry Farming Congress.

Dry Land Agriculture in Texas—Prof. B. Youngblood, College Station, Texas, Director of Texas Agricultural Experiment Stations.

Diversification in Dry Farming—Hon. E. R. Kone, Austin, Texas, State Agricultural Commissioner.

Short Talks by Practical Farmers. Appointment of Committees. Announcements.

Reception.—By the Ladies of Uvalde. Second Session, Tuesday, Aug. 20th, 8 p. m.

Music—The Uvalde Concert Band. The Texas Farm Home—Hon. E. W. Kirkpatrick, McKinney, Texas, President of the Texas Farmers' Congress.

The Railroads and the Farmers—H. P. Attwater, Industrial Agent Sunset-Central Lines.

Farm Crops For South-west Texas—Prof. S. H. Hastings, San Antonio, Texas, in charge of U. S. Department of Agriculture Experiment Farm.

Third Session, Wednesday, Aug. 21st, 9:00 a. m.

Dry Land Forage Crops—Prof. A. B. Connor, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Growing Cotton in West Texas—J. L. Quicksall, Waco, Texas, Special U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Farm Co-operative Demonstration Work.

Growing Fruit and Truck without Irrigation—Hon. Sam H. Dixon, Houston, Texas, Editor "Farm & Fireside."

Result of Dry Farming in the Trans Pecos country—J. T. Snelus, Valetine, Texas, President Valetine Business Men's Club.

The Value of Soil Mulch—R. R. Claridge, Agricultural Commissioner, L. & G. N. R. R.

Short Talks by Practical Farmers. Fourth Session, Wednesday, August 21st 2:00 p. m.

Preparation of the Soil and Conservation of Moisture—Hon. J. W. Neill, Austin, Texas, Director of Farmers' Institutes.

Conservation of the Soil—Col. Henry Exall, Dallas, Texas, President Texas Farmers' Congress.

Short Talks by Practical Farmers. Fifth Session, Wednesday, Aug. 21st, 8 p. m.

Entertainment by Uvalde Citizens. Sixth Session, Thursday, Aug. 22nd, 9 a. m.

Relation of Dry Farming to Irrigation—Prof. F. W. Mally, Scientific Agriculturist, Crystal City, Texas.

Stock Raising in Connection with Dry Farming—J. O. Berryman, Cuero, Texas, Special Agent, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Growing Pecans in West Texas—E. W. Knox, San Antonio, Texas, President Texas Farmers' Congress.

"How to Grow Corn Successfully in Dry Season"—Sr. Zeferino Dominguez, Scientific Agriculturist of Mexico.

Seventh Session, Thursday, August 22nd, 2 p. m.

Short Talks by Practical Farmers. Report of Committees.

Election of Officers. Selection of Next Place of Meeting. Note—The short talks at each session by experienced farmers will be particularly interesting and of great value. These discussions will be led by J. C. Beck, of San Antonio, C. G. Deason and R. P. Young of Uvalde and other farmers who for many years have successfully practiced dry farming methods in west Texas.

During the sessions of the Dry Farming Congress, the Uvalde County Boys' Club will hold a corn show under the direction of the officials of the U. S. Farmers' Co-operative Demonstration work in West Texas.

On Friday, Aug. 23rd, the day after the Congress closes, the citizens of Sabinal, the sister town of Uvalde, will entertain the delegates with an automobile excursion and Uvalde county farmer's dinner. This trip will give visitors an opportunity to see some of the finest farms in West Texas.

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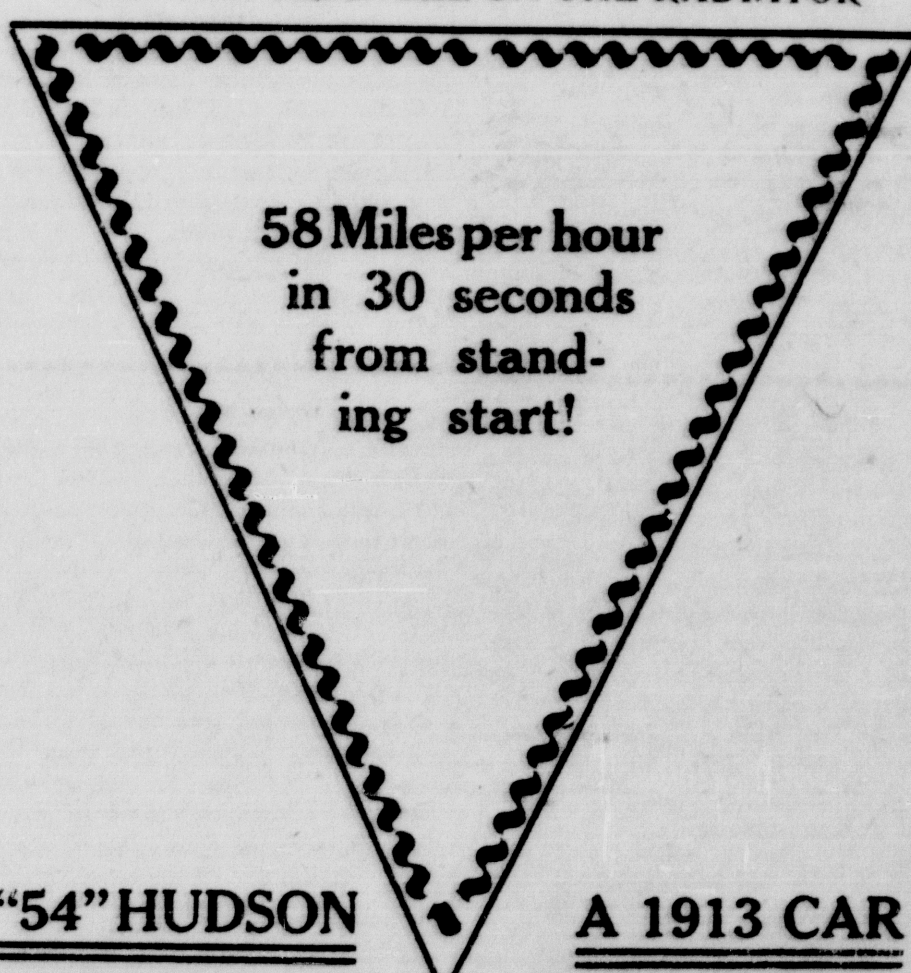
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Rev. J. J. Myers was a San Antonio visitor during the week.

A big car of improved Studebaker wagons at Holloway Bros.

District Clerk August Kemp was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Felix Batot and son, Milton, visited San Antonio Thursday.

The Henney line is the line that wears. See E. R. Leinweber.

C. W. Roberts was a San Antonio visitor the middle of the week.

Roy West came in from Comfort Wednesday and will spend a few days in Hondo.

Ed de Montel, Esq. returned Sunday night from an outing pleasantly spent at Rockport.

A. J. Swearingen is back from a protracted visit to Rockport and other coast points.

Wanted to buy, —40 to 80-acre improved farm close to some school. J. G. Heyen. tf.

Misses Fannie and Mary Simpson left Monday for Edna after having visited Mrs. J. S. Fly.

Mr. Carmichael came in Wednesday from Bandera and is buying cotton on the local market.

Oscar Peters was an interested looker on at the State Convention in San Antonio this week.

T. A. White left Wednesday for Marfa, Texas, to spend a while in that delightful climate.

Drop in at Hutzler's confectionery and enjoy a cool, refreshing drink from the soda fountain.

Louis Rothe was here from the Seco the first of the week visiting his brother, Henry Rothe and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rothe and Mrs. E. Richter attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Louisa Wurzbach at San Geronimo Sunday.

Clarence King left Monday for San Antonio and Leon Springs after a pleasant visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. King.

Mrs. J. V. Flowers and daughter, Miss Pauline, left Sunday for their home in Teague after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Flowers' sister, Mrs. J. B. Hurt.

Prof. Buck Harris arrived in Hondo Thursday and is seeking a location for his family. Prof. Harris will have charge of the Hondo School as principal during the coming year.

Messrs. Joe Ney, J. B. Wernette, R. P. Thomas, Rudolph Posch, Elmer de Montel and Fletcher Davis represented the Democracy of Medina County on the floor of the State Democratic Convention in San Antonio this week.



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Mrs. H. J. Meyer and children left Saturday on a visit to relatives at La Grange.

Elder A. R. Davis filled his appointment at the Christian Church Sunday and Sunday night.

Mrs. A. G. Walker arrived Sunday from a visit of several months to Ishpeming, Michigan.

D. W. Short and family have moved into their new home recently erected near the School house.

The protracted meeting at the Church of Christ is announced to continue until Sunday night.

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C. Schuchart and son, Manuel, were here Thursday from Cliff on business before the Commissioners Court.

Mesdames A. J. Swearingen and H. F. Woods and children left yesterday for Devine on a visit to relatives and friends.

F. Kilhorn went to LaCoste Wednesday and secured the contract for putting a tin roof on the new Drug Store at that place.

Messrs. C. F. Lehman and C. E. Davis were here Monday and sold this office another lot of job stock and printer's material.

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The Anvil Herald is up to its ears in work and some jobs are unavoidably delayed, but we have secured the help of an extra man and will soon be able to catch up and then some. Send in your orders and we shall do our best with them.

The Commissioners Court, with all members of the board and the usual officers present, has been in regular session all week and considerable business is being transacted. A complete report of the proceedings will appear in a following issue of this paper.

Dr. W. E. Patterson arrived this week with his household goods from Portales, New Mexico, and will again make Hondo his home. The family is domiciled at the Armstrong residence. The Anvil Herald takes pleasure in extending a welcome to this estimable family.

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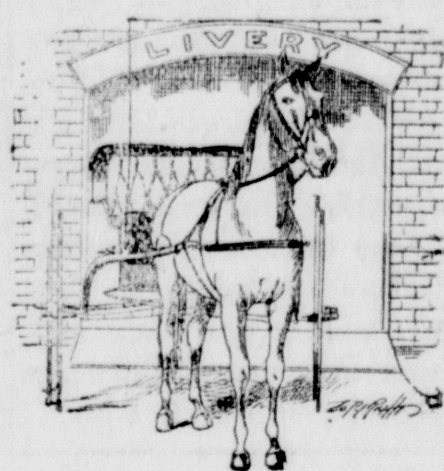
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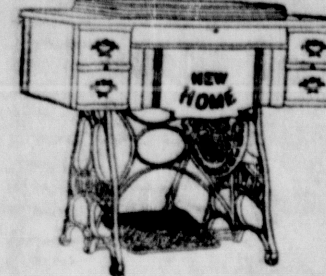
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PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE GRANT OF AID TO INDIGENT AND DISABLED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AND THEIR WIVES.

(S. J. R. No. 9.) Senate Joint Resolution.

Senate Joint Resolution to amend Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to authorize the grant of aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and to soldiers who served in the militia and in organizations for the protection of the frontier and their indigent widows, and to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for the indigent and dependent wives and widows of Confederate soldiers and sailors, and such women as aided the Confederacy, and authorize a special ad valorem pension tax, and making appropriations for same.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:

Article 3. Section 51. The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public money to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporation whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors who came to Texas prior to January 1, 1900, and their widows in indigent circumstances, and who have been bona fide residents of the State of Texas since January 1, 1900, and who were married to such soldiers and sailors anterior to January 1, 1900; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States served for a period of at least six months in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia of the State of Texas, who were in active service for a period of at least six months during the war between the States, to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who were married to such soldiers prior to January 1, 1900, provided that the word "widow" in the preceding lines of this section shall not apply to women born since 1861, and also to grant aid for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows, and women who aided in the Confederacy under such regulations and limitations as may be provided for by law; provided, the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home.

The Legislature shall have the power to levy and collect, in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a State ad valorem tax on property not exceeding five cents on the one hundred dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate Army and Navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations, or militia.

Sec. 2. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for the submission of this amendment to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at the general election of State officers, in November, 1912. At which election all voters favoring this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution relating to increase of Confederate pensions;" and the voters, opposed to said amendments shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to Section 51, Article 3 of the Constitution, relating to increase of Confederate pensions."

Sec. 3. The sum of \$5,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of carrying out the provisions of this resolution.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION CREATING THE OFFICE OF PRISON COMMISSIONER AND MAKING THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF PRISON COMMISSIONERS SIX YEARS.

(H. J. R. No. 22.) House Joint Resolution.

A Joint Resolution proposing to amend Article XVI of the State Constitution by adding thereto Section 58, creating the office of Prison Commissioner, and making the term of office of the members of the Board of Prison Commissioners six years, and making an appropriation.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section which shall be known as Section 58 and shall read as follows:

Section 58. (Article XVI.) The Board of Prison Commissioners charged by law with the control and management of the State prisons, shall be composed of three members appointed by the Governor, by and with the consent of the Senate, and whose terms of office shall be six years, or until their successors are appointed and qualified; provided that the terms of office of the Board of Prison Commissioners first appointed after the adoption of this amendment shall begin on January 20 of the year following the adoption of this amendment, and shall hold office as follows: One shall serve two years, one four

years, and one six years. Their terms to be decided by lot after they shall have qualified, and one Prison Commissioner shall be appointed every two years thereafter. In case of a vacancy in said office the Governor of this State shall fill said vacancy by appointment for the unexpired term thereof.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue and have published the necessary proclamation for the submission of this proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas to the qualified voters for members of the Legislature of the State of Texas at the next general election to be held in this State. All persons favoring said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots "For a six years' term for Prison Commissioners;" and those opposed to the adoption of this amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots "Against a six years' term for Prison Commissioners."

Sec. 3. The sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of publication of the Governor's proclamation submitting this proposed amendment.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING CITIES OF MORE THAN 5,000 INHABITANTS TO ADOPT THEIR CHARTERS BY VOTE OF THE PEOPLE.

(H. J. R. No. 10.) House Joint Resolution.

House Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to Section 5, of Article II, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing for cities of more than five thousand (5,000) inhabitants to adopt their charter by a vote of the people.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article II of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

Section 5. Cities having more than five thousand (5,000) inhabitants may, by a majority vote of the qualified voters of said city, at an election held for that purpose, adopt or amend their charters, subject to such limitations as may be prescribed by the Legislature, and providing that no charter or any ordinance passed under said charter shall contain any provision inconsistent with the Constitution of the State, or of the general laws enacted by the Legislature of this State; said cities may levy, assess and collect such taxes as may be authorized by law or by their charters; but no tax for any purpose shall ever be lawful for any one year, which shall exceed two and one-half per cent of the taxable property of such city, and no debt shall ever be created by any city, unless at the same time provision be made to assess and collect annually a sufficient sum to pay the interest thereon and creating a sinking fund of at least two per cent thereon; and provided further, that no city charter shall be altered, amended or repealed oftener than every two years.

Sec. 2. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation, submitting this amendment to the qualified voters of Texas at the next general election held in this State, or in case any previous election shall be held in this State for other purposes, then this proposed amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State. At such election, those favoring the amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots, the words: "For amendment to Section 5, Article II, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people;" those opposing said amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the words: "Against amendment to Section 5, Article II, of the Constitution, authorizing cities of more than five thousand inhabitants to adopt their charters by a vote of the people." The sum of five thousand dollars, or so much as is necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the State of Texas out of moneys not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of the publication of this amendment and the proclamation for the election.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE STATE UNIVERSITY AND MANAGERS OF TRUSTEES AND A. L. ELEMOSYNARY AND PENAL INSTITUTIONS SHALL BE ELECTED OR APPOINTED FOR THE TERM OF SIX YEARS.

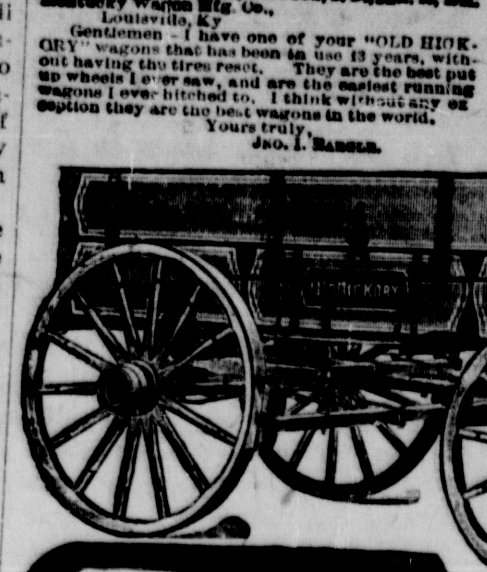
(H. J. R. No. 9.) House Joint Resolution.

An Act proposing an amendment to Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new section thereto, to be entitled "Section 30a"; providing that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University, and the boards of trustees or managers of educational, eleemosynary and penal institutions of the State and such other boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may be elected or appointed for term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of said boards to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in the manner provided by law, fixing the time for holding the election, and making the appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 16 of the Constitution be amended by adding a new section thereto, to be known and

designated as "30a," and to read as follows:



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Section 30a. The Legislature may provide by law that the members of the Board of Regents of the State University and Boards of Trustees or Managers of the educational, eleemosynary, and penal institutions of the State, and such boards as have been, or may hereafter be established by law, may hold their respective offices for the term of six (6) years, one-third of the members of such board to be elected or appointed every two (2) years in such manner as the Legislature may determine; vacancies in such offices to be filled as may be provided by law, and the Legislature shall enact suitable laws to give effect to this section.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors for the members of the Legislature, at the next general election to be held in this State, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots: "For the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Boards of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law." And all voters opposed to said amendment shall have printed or written on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment of Article 16 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, regulating the term of office of the Board of Regents of the State University, and other Board of Trustees, or Managers, heretofore or hereafter established by law."

Sec. 3. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and have the same published, as required by the law of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expenses of said proclamation, publication, and election.

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Good Prison Fare.

If what is said of French prisons be correct the wonder is that there are any people left outside. An official return of the necessities and luxuries supplied recently to the prison department shows that there is no stint. Among the edibles supplied are 84,000 tablets of chocolate, 17,000 kilograms of butter, 3,000 kilograms of coffee, 85,000 eggs, new laid, of course; 50,000 kilograms of Bologna sausage, 2,000 cheeses, 200 kilograms of caramels, and ten times that weight of other sweets. A kilogramme is nearly 2½ pounds.

Remarkable Fountain.

The city of Vienna possesses what is perhaps the most remarkable electric, or electrically lighted, fountain in existence. It is situated in the Schwarzenbergplatz. Underneath the fountain, in a huge cemented chamber are placed 27 reflecting lamps, capable of producing several different luminous and colored effects. The light is transmitted through the waters of the fountain. The light power of the plant is estimated as equal to 30,000 candles.

D. C. Bybee, teaming contractor living at 669 Keeling Court, Canton, Ill., is now well rid of a severe and annoying case of kidney trouble. His back pained and he was bothered with headaches and dizzy spells. "I took Foley Kidney Pills just as directed and in a few days I felt much better. My life and strength seemed to come back, my backache left me, I slept well, and I got up free from headache and dizzy spells. I am now all over my trouble and recommend Foley Kidney Pills to everyone."

Was Suspicious.

"That was suspicious," said Senator Newlands, in an address in Reno on irrigation. "That was as suspicious on our opponents' part as the action of the railroad conductor. A passenger, having lost his ticket, paid this conductor in cash, and then said: 'Why do you put half my fare in your coat pocket and the other half in your trousers?' 'Well, the company's got to have something, ain't it?' was the reply."

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The inhabitants of Iona St. Kilda heard the gramophone the other day for the first time. A steamer belonging to Messrs. McCallum of Glasgow touched at the island, and it was one of the passengers, Mr. Louis Barbe, who had the distinction of taking the first gramophone to the island. The stolid St. Kildian, however, failed to display the wide-mouthed wonder which was expected of him.

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Ended the Dry Spell.

She had a voice like a siren, and when she sang, "Mid stay sure, sand palaces, the beam a rome. Be it iverse on wum bull there, snow play comb," and so on to the conclusion there wasn't a dry eye in the room.

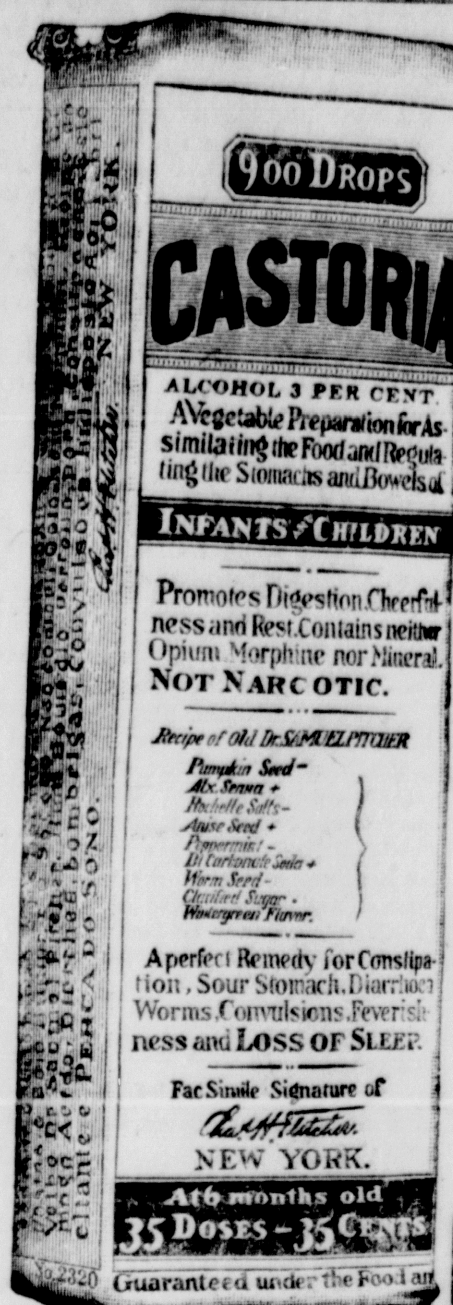
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Molly's Maneuver

By HARMONY WELLS

Molly's eyes roved restlessly over the well-populated beach. For the moment she had lost sight of the good looking man whose camera lay beside her on the sand. He had left it, for safe keeping, near a pillar under the pavilion while he took a long swim.

Molly had noticed him first because his bathing suit bore the name of the club in New York to which many of her friends belonged. She had attended many of the little private dances given by the Kanawa club. The rest of the time she had watched him out of pure fascination.

He was coming up the beach, his bathing suit dripping, and Molly shifted her pink parasol as she had done on each occasion when his eyes had turned in her direction. He had not glimpsed the face beneath the sunshade.

The man in the bathing suit picked up his camera and Molly realized that the beach would be less attractive when he had gone. But he was not going. Molly watched him focus his camera on a group of Kanawa boys. Suddenly Molly picked up her own camera and very quickly but very surely she snapped a picture of the man who was engrossed in his own camera.

"Let's have one more dive!" she heard him call out to the boys.

He put his camera down in its accustomed place and tried to peer under the pick parasol. After the unsuccessful attempt he ran down and into the water.

The wickedness that had been brooding in Molly's eyes now took definite shape in her movements. She arose apparently to avoid the sun and sank down nearer the lonesome camera. With a deft movement and shielding her hands with the parasol she examined the camera. It was identical with her own.

Molly moved back and presently sauntered up to the pavilion. Later she wandered her way homeward. She felt warm even though summer was turning to autumn.

It was hard for Danvers to pull himself from the water. The last swim of the season seemed particularly fine. However, next summer was coming and with that as consolation he came out of the water, picked up his camera and repaired to the bath house. His roll of films would have to wait for city development.

A fortnight later John Danvers stopped in for the results of his last snap shots taken at the beach.

"You had fine luck this time," the clerk told him. "I'd like to get the name of the beach you've been to," he chided with a sly wink.

Out in Wall street again, Danvers wondered at the man's remark. There was nothing special in the way of scenery on the films he had exposed. Arrived in his office he took out the prints. Then he knew!

These were the pictures of some one else. Either he had picked up the wrong camera on the beach or the clerk had given him the wrong package.

Danvers looked over the splendid prints and felt glad that he had made the mistake. He felt sorry for the other fellow. His own exposures had been merely uninteresting groups of men—these proved to be a collection of perhaps the prettiest damsels on one beach.

Danvers came to the last of the dozen. He started. His own huge frame occupied the center of the picture.

"How in the deuce—!" His ejaculation was cut short by a ring of the telephone.

Danvers thought himself happy when he hung up the receiver. Fanny Evers had given him her consent for the first dance of the season.

For a moment the pictures slipped from his mind. The Kanawa dance and Fanny Evers had taken prominent place in his thoughts. A dozen times Danvers had been on the verge of proposing to Fanny yet each time something unaccountable had kept him back.

He returned to the pictures and made a selection of the faces. His choice was not difficult. He looked long and earnestly at the one he had

chosen. After a moment he found himself returning the smile in those laughing eyes and wanting to brush back the wind-blown hair. There was a parasol somewhere in the picture and for a brief second Danvers felt intimately acquainted with that parasol, but the vague memory refused to draw near. He separated this one picture from the others and transferred it to his pocket.

After a week of constant association with the picture Danvers knew that he would recognize the original anywhere.

On the night of the Kanawa dance, an unreasonable sense of dissatisfaction took possession of Danvers. He ruined four small ties and smeared one white waistcoat in an effort to please his fastidious taste.

Danvers was in the middle of the third waltz when he felt rather than saw the entrance of some one. He was near the door and he looked up. She had come! The girl whose picture was at that moment near his heart was standing in the doorway.

Danvers managed his steps so that he would pass near her. Did he imagine it or did a great wave of crimson flood her cheeks when her eyes met his? From that second Danvers felt that invisible wires were attached to his feet and that the girl in black velvet had them in her hands.

After the dance he made his way toward Jerry McNeal, the man with whom the girl had come. McNeal was already surrounded.

"I want an introduction—" began Danvers.

"Great Scott!" sighed McNeal, "every one of you fellows can't have my girl!"

"Your girl!" Danvers turned fire-laden eyes on the unlucky man. "Is she engaged to you?"

"Not yet," McNeal admitted. "And never will be," supplemented Danvers as he found his hand enclosing a small one.

"This dance?" he said quickly. "May I have it?"

The girl had not found her voice. She held out her card. There were three dances left and Danvers took them all and put down three extras.

Molly Keene only laughed unsteadily when she saw what he had done.

"We are missing something we should not miss," Danvers suggested. Molly stood up and for the space of a second before he put his arm about her she looked into his eyes.

"Don't! Don't do that!" he said and brought her quickly near him.

When the strain of first meeting had worn off, Molly remarked, "I believe I saw you at Rye last summer."

"I have seen you for the last four weeks—every day," Danvers looked down into the original of the picture. It was far more lovely even than the picture. "Last summer—my camera got mixed up with that of somebody else," he continued. "The other fellow had taken snaps of many pretty girls. I selected one—and gave her the prize," Danvers laughed.

For no reason at all Molly Keene blushed.

"I will show you the picture, after the dance—if you care to see it," Danvers told her.

"I have often wondered how they came out," Molly said and looked up into his eyes.

"You! What do you know about mixed cameras?"

"I happen to be the—mixer!" Molly blushed partly from the confession and partly because Danvers' arm had tightened so closely about her. "I felt reasonably sure," she went on swiftly, "that we would meet—since I know so many Kanawa boys."

"We were bound to meet," Danvers said.

TO KEEP EVEN WITH RIVAL

Italian's Unique Explanation of the Presence of Sign in the Windows of His House.

In a little settlement on the outskirts of Chicago two houses stand out more boldly than the rest. These are the domiciles of two Italians of means, who, although being very ignorant men, vied with each other for the social leadership of the locality.

One day a newcomer, in search of temporary lodgings, attracted by a conspicuous sign in the window of the first of these two houses, stepped to the front door to make inquiry.

"I see you have furnished rooms here?" he said to the swarthy man who answered his knock.

"Ya," rejoined the foreigner, pointing to the furnished room sign; "dere's da sign!"

"Well, if you have one that's suitable I'd like to rent it for awhile."

"We no rent da rooms," was the bewildering declaration. "I got my family in here, and dey take up all da house."

"Don't you rent any rooms? Why, then, have you that sign stuck up in the window?"

"I'll tell you, Las' week dat fellow next door bung such a sign in his front window, an' when I see dat I put one of da same kind in my front window, just to tell da people dat he ain't da only man in dis place dat have his rooms furnished!"—Judge.

Women and Marriage.

It is said that every woman has some chance to marry. Representing her entire chance at certain points of her progress in time, it is found to be in the following ratio: Between the ages of 15 and 20, 14 1/2 per cent.; 20 and 25, 52 per cent.; 25 and 30, 18 per cent.; 30 and 35, 15 1/2 per cent.; 35 and 40, 3 1/2 per cent.; 40 and 45, 2 1/2 per cent.; 45 and 50, two-thirds of 1 per cent.; 50 and 55, one-fourth of 1 per cent. After 60 it is one-tenth of 1 per cent., or one chance in a thousand—a pretty slender figure.

Mothers Club

On last Thursday morning Aug. 8 Mrs. Susan Thurston of Beeville who is the president of the Fifth district of the Congress of Mothers, came to Hondo to visit the local organization. She met the ladies in the afternoon in the parlors of Mrs. R. H. Hudspeth. Although the weather was very warm several ladies were out. She addressed the club in a very graceful but informal manner, stressing the point that in every organization when much good was accomplished it was through the faithful few who stood bravely at the post of duty.

Several striking illustrations were given among which was a small society near Beeville doing splendid work. On Mothers day these ladies gathered the little white daisies from the fields and made six hundred button hole bouquets and attached a small card to each, bearing the words "Wear this for Mothers sake." These little florals were every one given away. They met the trains and pinned one on each person with whom they came in contact.

Some where in the district was a Mothers club of colored women, who bought a piece of land on which they raised vegetables and sold until they acquired sufficient money to buy a fine piano for their school. Although she gave us things for our profit, she gleaned some information from Hondo. She was well pleased with our Sanitary drinking fountains, and thought we had done a great work for our schools in buying books, maps, charts, etc.

At the close of the interesting suggestions and exchange of ideas the hostess served delicious punch and lady fingers, and after each guest had taken her departure, Mrs. Hudspeth drove our distinguished visitor over the beautiful city of Hondo until time to meet her train.

CONTRIBUTED.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moffield went to Luling Monday.

O. N. Inabnit has gone to Corsicana to remain for some time.

Mrs. August Garteiser visited relatives in D'Hanis Tuesday.

Mrs. W. E. Patterson and daughter visited San Antonio Tuesday.

WANTED.—100 cotton pickers. Stanley Crabtree, Hondo, Texas.

W. C. Beal was down from Uvalde yesterday visiting homefolks.

Mrs. Fritz Wohlschlegel and children visited friends in D'Hanis this week.

A car of bananas arrived here yesterday and are being sold from the tracks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Goff and Mrs. Will Holloway were San Antonio visitors yesterday.

Mrs. F. Kilhorn was here during the week visiting the family of her son, F. Kilhorn Jr.

G. C. Goff purchased a Hudson car this week from C. W. Roberts, the local dealer.

Wanted to buy, 40 to 80-acre improved farm close to some school. J. G. Heyen, Jr.

Mrs. V. C. Hardt left yesterday for Uvalde on a visit to her children residing in that city.

Messrs. Armin Boehme and Emil Schmidt were here from LaCoste yesterday on business.

Up to Thursday night there had been shipped from this place this season 514 bales of cotton.

Mrs. W. W. Nunn arrived yesterday from Luling and is visiting the family of her son, John W. Nunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Heath are back from an extended visit to Mr. Heath's ranch near Monterey, Mexico.

Lost—22 head of goats, marked swallow fork on the left, and over half crop on the right. Notify Geo. Graff

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reynolds and baby are out from San Antonio visiting Mr. Reynolds' parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Reynolds.

Charlie Schreiber is working at the Hondo Lumber yard, having succeeded Ed Carter who resigned to take a job at Heath Bros. Gin.

Dr. R. P. Thomas joined his family in the train here Monday night, as they were returning from Eagle Pass, and after spending one day at the Convention in San Antonio went on to Rockport with them where they will enjoy a few days outing.

J. F. Dilworth and family visited in San Antonio the first of the week at the home of Mrs. Dilworth's sister Mrs. C. B. Brown. While at Mr. Brown's on Tuesday an oil stove exploded and set fire to the house and it and all its contents were destroyed. Mr. Dilworth's car, which had been left standing near the house, was damaged to the extent of several hundred dollars before it could be removed.

Mr. Brown's house, which had cost him about two thousand dollars, was partially insured to the amount of twelve hundred dollars but his household goods, valued at about sixteen hundred dollars, were a total loss as they were uninsured.

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Sturm Hill Happenings.

By PEACH.

ED. ANVIL HERALD:—

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lessing and children, from below Castroville, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben de Joirno Wednesday and Thursday.

A. G. Eckhart made a business trip to Hondo Friday.

H. B. Balzen took a load of baled oats to the diversion dam Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balzen, visited homefolks at Green Hill Wednesday.

Harm Gerdes and Ben de Joirno baled oats for Ben de Grodt and Charlie Oefinger the past week.

Willie Eckhart was seen here Thursday.

Robert Reitzer was shopping at Quibi Friday.

Albert Reitzer came down from Mico Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schweers Sr. of Quibi were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes Friday.

Those from here who attended the Surprise Party at Albert Karm's Saturday evening were: John Schuehle and family, Fritz Balzen and family, A. G. Eckhart and family, Ben Balzen and wife, Robert Reitzer and wife, and E. W. Balzen and wife, Misses Frieda Balzen, Ida Frerichs of Hondo, and Rosa Kaufmann of Riomedina, Arnold, Louis, Charlie, Edgar and Robert Balzen, Fritz Gerdes, Andrew Oefinger and Daymond Pettit. All reported a jolly good time.

Albert Karm passed through here Saturday enroute to Hondo.

Mrs. Andrew Schuehle was on the sick list the past week.

H. G. and H. J. Boehle were seen here Sunday.

Anton Balzen came out from San Antonio Saturday on a visit to homefolks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Wurzbach of Riomedina, were the guests of H. H. Balzen and family Sunday.

Miss Ida Frerichs of Hondo, is spending a few days with Miss Lena Schuehle.

Miss Hulda Saathoff was shopping at Lunday Saturday.

Mrs. Paul Oefinger Sr. and son, Paul, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Wurzbach at Riomedina, Sunday.

Rolf Balzen came down from Knippa last week on a visit to relatives and friends.

Anton Burger was seen here Sunday.

Aug. 14, 1912.

Last week Judge Burney issued a restraining order in the injunction suit of Albert Reitzer vs. the Medina Valley Irrigation Co., to the Company ordering the flood gates of the dam to be kept open so as to prevent danger of flooding the lands of Mr. Reitzer.

A hearing on the application for a permanent injunction against the Company was set for the 23rd of August, but upon application of the Company the hearing was advanced to the 15th, and upon learning that condemnation proceedings had been brought against the lands in the Federal Court, Judge Burney ordered the case transferred to that court.

A card from Frank Jungman informs us that the Jungman family is seeing Los Angeles before continuing their trip westward. Frank says they are just simply having a delightful time.

The Medina County Fair Association will give a dance at D'Hanis tonight. Ayala's famous band will furnish the music and a silver cup will be given to the best dancing couple.

D. H. Fly, Esq. visited Kerrville this week on legal business.

Mrs. Annie Parchman visited in San Marcos during the week.

Jim Goff was down from the dam Tuesday.

Fritz Muennink is here from Mico.

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ED. ANVIL HERALD:—

Miss Clara Hutzler, a most popular young Belle of Spindletop after visiting here with relatives and friends for the past week returned to her home Monday.

Mrs. Jos. A. Riff and daughter, Emma, were at Quibi visiting Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Hutzler are sporting a brand new auto seat Buggy.

Mrs. Jac. Hutzler and children are visiting relatives at Spindletop a few days this week.

Mrs. Jos. A. Riff and daughters, Rosa and Emma, and son, Josie, were shopping in Castroville one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Hutzler left for a visit to Boerne.

Jos. A. Riff was at Quibi Wednesday.

Wm. Reitzer attended a picnic at LaCoste Sunday.

A grand Birthday celebration was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ad. Biediger, in honor of Mr. Biediger's 30th Birthday. A fine dinner and supper was given at which all enjoyed themselves fine. Plenty of beer and refreshments were served during the natal day.

Those who were present were: Ad. Biediger and family, Jos. A. Riff and family, Jac. Hutzler and family, John Hutzler and family, Dom. Schott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nic. Hutzler, and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hutzler. Misses Clara Hutzler, Louisa Schott and Rose Riff. Messrs. Ed. N. Riff, W. J. Brucks and Paul Schott. In the evening everybody repaired to their respective homes well pleased with their day's enjoyment and wishing Mr. Biediger many more such happy Birthdays to come.

Died.

Death entered the sacred portals of J. D. Burgin's home at Yancey Tuesday night, August 13, 1912, and claimed as its victim the young wife and mother.

Mrs. Burgin had been suffering for some days with typhoid fever and medical skill and the ministrations of tender and loving hands were vain to save her from the fell destroyer. The remains were interred in the Yancey cemetery.

To the bereaved husband and the motherless babe left to mourn her sad and untimely departure, the Anvil Herald conveys our heartfelt sympathy.

A light shower of rain fell here yesterday afternoon.

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Texas.

AT SAN ANTONIO.

No. 122. In the matter of Heyen & Co., Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of said Estate:

Notice is hereby given that on Aug. 10, 1912, the said Heyen & Co. was duly adjudicated Bankrupt and that the first meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt will be held at the office of Guy S. McFarland, Referee in Bankruptcy, at No. 106 E. Crockett St., San Antonio, Texas, on Aug. 30, 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at which time and place said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

GUY S. McFARLAND,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
Issued Aug. 12, 1912.

Card of Thanks.

I wish to extend my heartfelt thanks to my neighbors and friends for their kindness and sympathy in my bereavement and to assure you of all that it will ever have the appreciation of a grateful heart.

Yours in sorrow,
J. D. BURGIN.

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Mrs. J. H. Fletcher, Mico	10,685	Miss Ruth Whipple, Hondo	2,240
Mrs. R. P. Thomas, Hondo	7,010	Miss Ethel Gaines, Hondo	8,750
Mrs. Annie Parchman, Hondo	9,025	Miss Mamie Rothe, D'Hanis	8,945
Miss Johanna Rothe, Hondo	10,815	Miss Dot Johnson, Hondo	1,885
Miss Vera Jones, Hondo	6,950	Miss Agnes Sauter, D'Hanis	9,875
Miss Lorine de Montel	12,550	Miss Louisa Richter, Bader Settlement	1,890
Miss Agnes Schorp, Riomedina	9,040	Mrs. Charles Schuehle, Hondo	4,000

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